### OHEN,

343, 347, 349 Dock St.

# The Devouring Flame

OF

#### Consuming Reduction!

Has Caught our entire stock of

AND

#### **BOOTS & SHOES**

TO-DAY,

## The Great Sale Commences

Cash is what we want. Profits scattered to the wind. Brevity is the soul of wit. Actions speak louder than words.

#### That's what we do.

As an inducement to gain more trade, we will give away free with purchases, a fine Oil Painting and Gold Leaf Frame, valued at \$5. Also, a free chance to win a \$25 Doll, (see it in our Dry Goods Dept.,) which will be given away Christmas Eve, to the person holding the lucky number. You are entitled to a chance with every purchase.

#### The Flame has caught the Dry Goods Stock.

All our Surah Silks up to 45c, are selling at 30c. All our plain China Silks worth 75c, selling at 45c. All our figured drapery silks worth \$1, selling at 60c. All woof, storm serges worth 40c, selling at 25c. 36 inch Camel hair suiting worth 50c, selling at 35c. 54 inch 13roadcloth worth 1.25, selling at 90c. 45 inch French Henrietta, black, worth 1.10, for 85c. One case Ladies' red or natural wool Underwear, 65c each or 1.25 suit. One case Ladies' Camel hair Underwear, 95c each or 1.75 suit. 300 window shades with roller and fixtures, ready to hang, 19c. 200 window shades, Keystone Roller and fixtures, ready to hang, 35c. And a fine assortment with fringe and fixtures, ready to hang, 50c. Special value in gloves, hosiery, corsets, handkerchiefs, ribbons, laces

all notions. Special offer in Ladies' Cloth Jackets and Misses' Cloaks. Ladies' flannel shirt waists and petticoats, ask to see them. Lining cambric given free with every dress pattern at 37½c per yard and up.

#### The Flame has caught the Clothing Stock.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, at 60 all last week. They brought in a large port on the 9th. The latest lumber vesamount of fish, mostly trout. Cents on Dollar.

Tailor made garments bought by us at 60c. on the dollar and sold to you the same figure. Have you seen these grand bargains.

> Men's finest \$9.00, 10.00, 12.00 suits go at \$7.50. 12.00, 14.00, 15.00 15.00, 16.00, 18.00 12.00. 18.00, 20.00, 22.00

#### The Flame has caught the Shoe Stock.

We are showing the largest and most complete stook of Ladies' and Children's artistic footwear, in northern Michigan, in all styles and widths from Davison & Co. We are showing the largest and most complete stook of Ladies' and Chil A to EE, you will be sure to get a correct fit, this means comfort in stylish shoes, at 25 to 50 per cent. less than you will get anywhere else. Ladies' Misses' and Children's fine lamb wool alpper soles, made of the finest white lamb wool, and are the highest grade soles in the market.

#### I. COHEN & BRO.,

MOST PERFECT MADE. In all the great Hotels, the leading Clubs and the homes, Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder holds its supremacy.

Or any other

#### 46 Years the Standard

THEIR TELEPHONE.

Notices inserted under this heading, 5 cents pe

Valuable farm land to exchange for city

One 35 horse power steel boiler with 45 feet of stack, fire front grate bars, injector and all necessary fixtures. The above is first class and practically new, made by the Lansing Iron and Engine Works, and is now situated at the Squaw Bay mill op-erated by D. D. Oliver. Inquire of Alpe-na Industrial Works. Terms easy. 1020

80 acres of land, 14 cleared, young or-chard, log house, in town 33, 8, for sale. Enquire at this office.

Farmers Notice. I am still conducting the sale of farm cord binders, reapers, mowing machines, rakes, plows, harrows, cultivators, sulky plows, potato planters and digers, seeders, stump pullers, fanning mills, Milburn wagons, Jackson wagons, and all other kind of farm tools. Office on Washington avenue, Frost's old stand, near Globe he

Wanted.

Agents to sell our choice and hardy Nursery Stock. We have many new special varieties, both in fruits and ornamentals to offer, which are controlled only by us. We pay commission or salary.
Write us at once for terms, and secure
choice of territory.

MAY BROTHERS, Nurserymen,
1113w10
Rochester, N. Y.

Eighty acres of land well timbered with

Splendid building lot Mirre st., for sale at a good bargain, on easy terms. Call at Argus office.

#### OUR TELEPHONE.

Business notices under this heading, 10 cents per

The J. L. eigars are superior to all the There is but very little ice in the river

Rain last Thursday morning, followed

y a light fall of snow Diamonds, watches, jewelry, at C. H

B. C. Morse has over 30,000 logs skids at his Canada camp.

The Baptist church is to be dedicated ne week from next Sunday.

Holiday gifts of the finest order, at H. Reynolds'.

rive with pleasant memories. All of the public schools have closed account of diptheria in the city.

Save money by getting your goods at E. C. Nason's.

The lumber mill of G. N. Fletche Sons was in operation all last week.

At Barker's camp, McCormack Lake, there are 1,500,000 feet of logs on skids. The finest of all kinds of toba the market, at J. Levyn's.

The value of the real estate sales las week, as recorded, amounted to \$4,647.

Rev. C. E. Lee addressed the young men at the Y. M. C. A. parlor last Sun Lac'ies black silk, and Mocha mittens

best quality. Davison & Co. The diptheria epidemic in this city diminishing. Only one case was reported Monday.

At the mill of E. O. Avery, this season the cut was 11,000,000 feet of lumber and 3,000,000 lath

Wanted, a good girl to do genera ousework, at 511 Washington ave. The Sunday schools of several of the churches have been closed on account of diphtheria in the city.

The life saving crews of Middle Island and Thunder Bay Island went out of comnission last Saturday.

All dolls, toys and fancy goods at a discount, at Wittelshofer's, Culligan block. About 600,000 feet of elm timber ha been skidded in the woods of this county for the new stave mill.

The mill of E. K. Petter & Sons manufactured 10,500,000 feet of lumber and 3,350,000 lath this season

You don't find them. There is

at the shingle mill of George Masters during the season just closed.

Alpern's fish tugs were in commission

Buy your watches, diamonds, jewelry etc., for Christmas gifts, of C. H. Rey

The show windows of the several dry good stores in town present a very at tractive appearance just now.

W. L. & H. D. Churchill's lumber mi has a record this year of cutting 22,666,00 feet of lumber and 8,943,000 lath.

Great reduction sale at Wittelshofers, alligan block, on all toys and fancy

There was manufactured at the Huror Lumber Co. mill this season, 15,000,000 feet of lumber and 4,000,000 lath. Your pocketbook will be spared the rush at the last hour, if you buy your

Christmas presents at an early date.

It is expected the Au Sable & North-western railroad will be extended to

Lewiston, in Montmorency county, next Henry Platz is to get out 800,000 feet Every owner of a piece of land should exof hemlock logs this winter, in Presque amine the list of lands advertised to be Isle county. They will be banked at the sold for taxes, and see if his property is

lectured at the Opera House on Roman-

ism, last Thursday evening, to a large

The fire alarm Sunday night proved to fire, the hind axle of No. one hose cart

was broken. The display of holiday goods at the centennial book store is the finest in the

A car load of sulphite paper pulp was shipped to Detroit last week from the Fletcher paper pulp factory. It contain-

The mortgaged indebtedness incurred by Alpena people last month, as shown by the records in the Register's office. amount to \$9,933.

Wittelshofer is selling all toys and fancy goods at a great discount, in order to close out. Go early and secure bar-An order has been issued by Postmaster-General Wanamaker, reducing the register fee from ten cents to eight cents, to

take effect January 1st, 1893. The Saginaw convocation and Episcopa Sunday school convention takes place at Saginaw this week. Rev. John Munday will represent Trinity parish.

Handsome embroidered night shirts for boys and men, price very low, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Davison & Co.

The residence of H. S. Wagoner, or Futtle street, was considerably damaged by fire last, Thursday night. The origin of the fire is a mystery. Insured with Barlow & Paterson

The date for dedicating the new Baptist thur ch has been changed from the 18th to the 25th, as the edifice could not be got in readiness by the 18th. The organ is set up and in place.

If you wish to make a nice Xmas pros ent, go and select one of those elegant ties or neck mufflers, just opened, at Davison & Co's.

feet was manufactured at the bay mill of the Minor Lumber Co., and 7,700,000 feet at their river mill. The two mills manuactured 10,000,000 lath. All Sir Knights, members of Alpena

commandery, 34, Knights Templar, with their ladles, are earnestly requested to meet at their hall, in the Masonie block, on Wednesday evening, December 14th, at 8 o'clock. Please do not fail. When looking over your list of presents for Christmas, don't forget that you can make some very fine selections at the jewelry store of C. H. Reynolds.

The following will show the amount of water furnished by the Alpena City Water Company during the months of October and November: October, 51,874,860 gallons: November, 47.359,520 gallons. There were five fires in October and tw

Colon D. McKenzie's grocery store, on First street, was destroyed by fire last Wednesday morning. As we went to press that morning it was reported to us as the Holmes store, on an adjoining street, and we had no time to verify the report of the officer in charge of the police

Miss Lilyan McKay, having finished her course of musical studies with Mrs. Clothier, is now prepared to give lessons. Harmony a specialty. 102 Fair ave.

The statistical report of the Y. M. C. A. for the month of November, 1892, is as follows: Attended rooms, 1,648; baths taken, 94; attended gymnasium, 258; letters written by young men, 25; new nembers, 6; renewals, 4; total membership, 190; gospel meetings held, 4; total attendance, 219.

The Hillman Telegraph says: While one of the men employed at Robert Rae's camp, on Hunt Creek, was returning from work, one evening last week, the yelping of a pack of wolves, chasing a deer, scared him to such an extent that he climbed a tree and remained there until rescued some time afterwards by his fellow work-

You can save from 25 to 50 per cent at Wittelshofer's, Culligan block, on all toys, fancy goods, plush goods and jewelry. The whole stock must be closed out.

At the Churchill, last Saturday evening, the members of the life saving crews on the lakes presented W. L. Churchill with a gold headed cane, as a token of their appreciation of the services he rendered them in obtaining an increase in the wages of the crews. A banquet was served, and an agreeable time passed by

The early part of last week the appearnces were that the propeller Jenks would have the honor of closing the season of navigation, as far as the lumber shipping cupied the Circuit Court of this county usiness from this port was concerned, but the continued fine weather, for this doubtless be reached to-morrow or next eason of the year, allowed the propeller Porter Chamberlin and tow to make a later clearance. They cleared from this sel to clear in 1891 was on December 2d, the party who killed Molitor and his and in 1890 on November 29th.

We have a complete line of furnishing goods, fine silk or satin suspenders, silk nuffers, black silk hosiery, linen hand-kerchiefs, initial silk handkerchiefs, initial kerchiefs, initial silk handkerchiefs, initial flannel night shirts, scarfs, four-in-hand, tecks, silk umbrellas, kid gloves, and you will find a fine assortment, suitable for Xmas presents, at Davison & Co's.

sembered at the Golling House. It the anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Golling. Last Friday vening the 23d anniversary was celebrat ed. On those occasions friends of Mr. and Mrs. Golling are invited to a suptuus supper and, of course, all the patron hotel are included among the guests. An elegant repast was prepared, including wine. The Anous takes this portunity of extending its best wisher to Mr. and Mrs. Golling, and we wish em many anniversaries in the future.

In the list of real estate sales this week will be found a number of descriptions of lands sold for taxes. The purchaser ow the real owner of the described lands 347 Dock Street. Clay Banks, and towed to this city next in the list. We know of one case where

The amount of work done at the lumber has paid his taxes, and yet his land is ad- in Judge Buck's court, and will be take

partly to the fact that one mill was in operation all last week, and the firm had not made a complete report of the season's work. The mills of Albert Pack, E. K. Potter & Sons, E. O. Avery, W. L. be a false one. In going to the supposed & H. D. Churchill, F. W. Gilchrist, Huron Mrs. J. M. Todd, of Long Rapids, had Lumber Co., and the two mills of the Minor Lumber Co. manufactured, this been most miraculously cured, of late from being a cripple, and that it was what season, 136,810,000 feet of lumber, being 5,541,000 feet less than the same firms she terms "faith cure" that the cure was by the press credited to. However, be manufactured the preceding year. The that as it may, we are permitted to use mills of the Comstock Brothers and of G. the following extract from a letter writ-N. Fletcher & Sons have not yet reportten by Mrs. Todd to a lady in this city, which tells its own story:

Where Should the Credit Be?

It has been set forth in the press tha

puts the credit for her improved condi

Candidates Expenses.

The campaign expenses of candidates

Surveyor. F. A. Rice, \$10; W. H. Le

PERSON'AL.

W. A. French went to De troit last Fri

M. McPhee left town yest'erday for

G. F. McRae took a trip to Saginaw

Mrs. W. H. Parsons is visiting friends at Pontiac.

H. D. Churchill took a tripso Detroi

E. Fisher, of Fisher, Presque Isle, wave

John Beck has gone to Milwaukee leaving town yesterday.

Mrs. F. W. Fletcher returned home Fri-day evening, from Detroit.

Arthur Pack returned from his trip to

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gilchrist loft

Miss Lillie Beebe left town Thursday norning, for Hamilton, Ontario.

Miss Bay McCormick has gone to Ottawa, Ont., leaving town Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Persons, of the

Thunder Bay Island life saving station, were in town Saturday.

F. D. Larke, of Rogers City, was in town last week, attending the Mollitor

tending the church convocation and Sun-day school convention of the Episco pal

The Royal Arch degree was conferred

at a special convocation of Thunder Bay Chapter, R. A. M., last Monday evening.

Isle county have been in town the past week, attending the Molitor murder trial.

E. K. Potter has retired from the firm

of E. K. Potter & Sons. The business

The newly elected officers of Thunder

Bay Chapter, R. A. M., and Alpena and

Hopper lodges, F. and A. M., will installed on the 27th.

There was a fire at the residence of

H. Tallman, on First street, yesterday forenoon. The fire department was sum-moned, but the flame was soon extinguish-ed without their aid.

What He Saw.

nurder trial, as a witness.

Thursday morning, for Detroit.

#### Important Notice.

"They had it all over up here that I was entirely cured by that fatth cure doctor, and I have denied it by letter, and now, dear nurse, I deny it to you; and I say to your loving hands and that mineral water, and dear mother Carter, I owe my All taxpayers who have not yet paid their city taxes for the year 1892, are requested to do so at once and save trouble present improvement." So, it will be seen that Mrs. J. M. Todo

James H. Kerr, City Treasurer.

#### Exports.

tion in health where it doubtless properly Only three lumber vessels cleared from belongs-in the wonderful curative his port last week, which probably ends powers of the mineral waters of the Althe lumber shipping season. The amount pena magnetic springs. shipped was 1,171,000 feet of lumber and 115,000 shingles, to Marine City, Detroit and Wyandotte.

#### Marriage Licenses.

at last election, as shown by the state ments filed with the County Clerk, are The marriage licenses issued by the ounty clerk, since our last report, with ame and residence, are as follows :

 Samuel Roe, city of Alpena.
 Marion Sayers, Alpena county. Melvin Priest, city of Alpena. Emily Winwright, Detroit. 795. Norman Adams, city of Alpena. Eugene Hobbs, "

as follows:

State Senator. J. D. Turnbull, \$500.
Represenative. A. R. Blakley, \$156.75; Casper Alpern, no report.
Judge of Probate. G. M. Slusser, \$75;
N. M. Brackinreed, no report.
Sheriff. John McLaughlin, \$120; H.
A. Kimball, \$76.15.
County Clerk. A. J. Simmons, \$100;
W. E. Rogers, \$82.
County Treasurer. Robert Rayburn,
\$60; G. H. Gray, \$75.
Register of Deeds. Charles Noack,
\$30; Edward Mainard, \$25.
Prosecuting Attorney. L. G. Dafoe, The following officers of Alpena lodg Prosecuting Attorney. L. G. Dafoe 896; V. C. Buraham, \$20. 99, F. and A. M., were elected last Wed esday evening : Roy, no r. aport.
Coroners. J. E. Denton, \$25; G. A. Shannon, \$5; Frank Guyott, nothing; James Eakins, no report.
Democratic con unittee, \$302.35; Republican committee, no report.

W. M.-J. W. Gibson, S. W.-C. T. Park, J. W.-J. L. Morrow. Treasurer—J. E. Field. Secretary—Adam Ludewig. The Senior and Junior Deacons, Ster

ards and Tyler are to be appointed by the ewly elected W. M.

K. of P. The following are the newly elected of icers of the Knights of Pythias :

P. C.—I. S. Canfield, C. C.—A. S. Irwin, V. C.—Edward Hutton. L. W. Lyon.
R. S. W. A. Sanborn.
E. L. Kositchek.
F. Charles Sturgis.

obb and I. Cohen Official Vote—29th Senatorial District

M. A.-D. A. Cameron. Trustees-Andrew Harshaw, J.

The official canvass of the votes cast for Senator, to represent the 29th district in the State legislature, was made last

Wednesday, and	resulted as follows:	
	French.	Turnbu
Alpena,	1,565	1.0
Cheboygan,	1,193	1,5
Emmett,	1,034	1,0
Manitou.	8	- 1
Montmorency.	266	5
Otsego,	559	
Presque Isle,	346	- 3
	and the same of th	To-department

The majority of James D. Turnbull, Democrat, over William A. French. Re publican, is 281.

#### Clearances-1892.

The following steamers and vessels cleared from this port during the past week, with cargoes of lumber and other orest products Barge Stewart, 440,000 lumber, Marine City.

G. A. Hunt, principal of the High school, journeyed to Byron, Mich., yester-day, to pass the holidays. Barge Smith, 500,000 lumber, Detroit. R. C. Faulconer returned home to De-troit last Saturday, and will not return to this city until after the holidays. Propeller Chamberlin, 231,000 lumber and 115,000 The total amount of lumber,

shingles, posts, etc., shipped from this port since the opening of navigation in 1892, by vessels that reported at the Al-pena custom house, is as follows:

#### Here are Your Letters. The following is a list of letters at the ostoffice uncalled for, and if not claimed

oon will be sent to the dead letter offic

The trial of August Grossman, as on of the men who killed Albert Molitor, at during the past ten days. The end will

A few days ago, while in conversation with one of our local hunters, we gleaned the following in regard to the mode of hunting deer pursued by the Turtle Lake "Yes, there were quite a few deer i some localities this fall, but by no mean as plentiful as in years gone by."
"In what part of the country did yo case, and produced several witnesses who testified that the defendant was one of

The defense has produced evidence showing that Grossman was not with the party at the time of the murder. The opinion prevails that the jury

#### Sale of Stamps. The following will show the business

one at the postoffice in this city, in the sale of stamps, postals and envelopes during the month of November One cent stamps, 2,287; two

tamps, 25,000; four cent stamps 156; five cent stamps, 343; ten cent stamps, 247; special delivery stamps, 13; newspapers publisher's and newsdealer's stamps, 189; postage due stamps, 211. The total number of stamps sold 28,396. During the same month there were sold ,978 one cent postals, 19 two cent post-

pers and 7 letter sheets. The total value of the ab

deer with dogs? Of course they did, and I saw it with my own eyes."

"Did you talk with any of the Turtle Lake party?"

"No, sir; I did not. I know some of them, and they are jolly fellows, who treat visitors most royally and do their best to make it pleasant for all callers; but they hunt deer with dogs, just the same." tana, Independent, and the Mr. Lawson spoken of was formerly in the photo busi-A. Lawson, formerly in the photograph business in Helena and White Sulphur Springs, was pronounced insane yesterday ness in this city:

The amount of work done at the lumber mill of F. W. Gilchrist, the present season is 24,500,000 feet of lumber and 6,000. The control of lumber and 6,000. The lumber

# Is Money Earned

# **Crowd of Bargains for** This Week.

Recent large purchases of merchandise enable us to present to our customers this week an unparalleled list of money saving bargains. We want your trade, you want the goods, and we can save you money on every purchase this week and give you the best goods manufactured. Look over the list, and remember all goods will be sold just as advertised.

75 pes rich, handsome imported Wool Dress Goods, in all the New Fall Shades, cost 75c to import, and never sold below \$1, will go at 50c. It is hard for our competitors to believe, but it's a fact.

pieces of handsome Wool Dress Goods, consisting of Plaids, Cheviots and Fancy Mixtures, sold everywhere at 50c and no less, will be closed out, every yard of

them at 25c. One lot of All Silk Surahs, in all Colors and Black, regular 50c goods, will go quickly at this sale for 33c.

One lot Cashmere Marachaibo Silks, Sigured, \$1 goods always, at 49c.

85 pieces handsome Printed Chevron Dress Goods, never before sold less than 12½c, will be closed out at 8c. 25 pieces printed Percale, dark work, 32 in. wide, regu-

lar 12te goods, 8tc. M. O'Brien and O. L. Partridge went to Bay City Thursday last, to attend the State convention of the Loan and Build-ing Associations. 50 pieces, Bedford Cords in plain colors always sold at 10c, at 5c.

100 pieces White and Gray mix Domet Flannel in every store 10c, our price, 5c. 25 pieces Eider down Flannel, good value at 25c, for 121.

A large number of residents of Presque 20 pieces all Wool Flannel, Twilled, in Scarlet and Navy Blue, worth 40c, at 25c. Se Brown Cotton for 5c; 9e for 6e; 10e for 7e; 10e

will be conducted by C. E. and W. H. Potter, under the firm name of E. K. Potter's Sons, who will collect all accounts and pay all just claims against the late firm. Bleached Cotton for 8c. \$1 White bed Blankets for 65c

\$1 Grey bed Blankets for 75c.

\$1.50 White blankets for \$1.19. 33 all wool Scarlet blankets for \$2.28.

\$4 fine Silver Grey blankets for \$2.50.

50c Turkey Red Table Linen for 37c.

60c Cream Table Linen for fifty cents.

Our \$1 bleach Table Linen for seventy-five cents. Our \$1.50 bleach Napkins for \$1.

\$2 bleach Napkins for one twenty-five. Ladies' Underwear at † reduction.

Children's wool Underwear at + reduction. Men's wool Underwear at & reduction.

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery at reduction of 20 to 40 per cent.

And these are not all. Everything goes at this great reduction sale. You will get more goods for One Dollar than ever in the history of the trade. Don't fail to attend. You will save money.

# "In what part of the country did you hunt?" "Oh, I was a short distance southerly from Turtle Lake." "Did you see any of the Turtle Lake party while you were on your hunt?" "Yes; one day in particular, a number of them came over, near where I was, stationed themselves along a range of hills, made fires at different points, and awaited their game. Soon the hounds were heard in the distance, and then a deer came bounding along the valley below them, with seven dogs in hot pursuit. As the deer passed the various parties along the line, their rifles rang out thick and fast, and I don't think they fired less than thirty shots, but they failed to stop the flight of that poor pursued deer. It escaped unharmed." "Then the party made a practice of hunting deer with dogs?" "Yes, sir; they certainly did. They would drive out to various locations with buckboards, buggies, and on horseback, and then the dogs were let loose and a regular cannonading would ensue. Hunt deer with dogs? Of course they did, and I saw it with my own eyes." "Did you talk with any of the Turtle

Second Street, Alpena.